

Senate Resolution 1514

By: Senator Rogers of the 21st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing the Georgia Young Republicans 2013 Committee for the Young Republican
2 National Convention and requesting that the Young Republican National Committee select
3 the State of Georgia as the site for its 2013 national convention; and for other purposes.

4 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia has offered to host the 2013 Young Republican National
5 Convention, an opportunity which would provide a positive economic impact to our state;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, Atlanta, the capital city of Georgia, offers unparalleled convention facilities and
8 amenities with over 2.1 million square feet of total exhibit space; and

9 WHEREAS, visitors to the convention would experience Atlanta's dining, attractions,
10 shopping, music, and nightlife, a mix of Southern hospitality with the excitement of a major
11 metropolitan city; and

12 WHEREAS, 80 percent of the United States population is within a two-hour flight, which
13 makes Atlanta one of the most accessible destinations in the country and a convenient trip
14 for elected officials, delegates, and others wishing to experience the thrill of a Young
15 Republican convention; and

16 WHEREAS, the people of Georgia, renowned for their courtesy and hospitality, have
17 successfully demonstrated their ability to make all feel welcome and at home as hosts of
18 innumerable national and international events, including the 1996 Centennial Olympic
19 Games; and

20 WHEREAS, no Young Republican National Convention or meeting has been held in the
21 State of Georgia for 15 years; and

22 WHEREAS, the members of this body and the people of Georgia stand ready to assist in
23 bringing the 2013 Young Republican National Convention to this fine Southern state.

24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
25 request that the Young Republican National Committee select Georgia to host the 2013
26 Young Republican National Convention in Atlanta, Georgia.

27 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
28 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Young Republican National
29 Committee.